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**As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:**

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

“ELLIPSOMETRIC BIOSENSOR COMPRISING AN AMPLIFICATION LAYER

the specification of which (check only one item below)

☐ is attached hereto,

OR

☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) March 7, 2005 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number PCT/CH2005/000136 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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